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ENJOYABLE PICNIC ON KING'S BIRTHDAY

Presbyterian Sunday School Held Program of Sports
—The List of Winners in the Events—Many
Prizes Donated

The King's birthday was celebrated in Bassano by a picnic for the Presbyterian Sunday school on the church grounds. About 60 children and a large number of adults turned out. The noon and sports were exciting and the supper heartily enjoyed. Mrs. Turner, Miss Wheeler and Miss Jordan were the judges for the ball events. Mr. Hill and W. Toppin were the judges for the men's events. The winners:

Boys—100 yard race over 13 and under 15—1st Joe Stuart, 2nd Jim Stuart.

100 yard race over 1 and under 15—1st Harry Marguash, 2nd Fred L. Dean.

50 yd race over 8 and under 15—1st E. Henshaw, 2nd Willie Dean.

50 yd race over 5—1st Ben and all won out.

Three-legged race—1st Jim Stewart and Cecil Henshaw, 2nd Harry Marguash and Roy Thompson.

Stork race—1st Victor Henshaw, 2nd Cecil Henshaw, 3rd Willie Dean.

Foot race—1st Allan Buckingham, 2nd Willie Dean.

Donkey race—1st Cecil Henshaw and

Jim Stewart, 2nd Roy Thompson and Victor Henshaw.

Two ending race—1st Jim Stewart, 2nd L. Henshaw, 3rd Willie Dean.

7 yd men's race—W. Toppin.

Girls 15 yd race, over 13 and under 15—1st Benita Fryer, 2nd Marie Wyatt.

75 yd race, over 8 and under 15—1st M. King, 2nd Gladys Wyatt.

50 yd race over 5 and under 15—1st Dorothy Wilson, 2nd Mabel Allan.

Under 6 years—Thirteen ran, all won.

Throwing baseball, 13 to 15 years—1st Marie Wyatt, 2nd Benita Fryer.

Throwing baseball, under 13 years—1st Pearl Devlin, 2nd Mary Henshaw.

Potato race—1st Muriel Thompson and Jennie Fryer, 2nd Georgia Fryer.

Single ladder race—1st Miss Pearl Martin, 2nd M. E. Wheeler.

Turning needle race—1st Jennie Stewart, 2nd Jennie Fryer, 2nd Pearl Devlin.

Married ladder race—1st Mrs. Henshaw, 2nd Mrs. E. Johnson.

Jim Stewart is champion of boys events and Dorothy Fryer and Marie Wyatt are equal in girls events.

THE NEW HOTEL

Will be fitted up in 4-5 Story—What It Is Named

Preparation was made this week for the building of the hotel for which T. H. Henshaw was granted a liquor license. The building will cost \$60,000 and will be 13 x 100 feet in dimensions. It will be built of brick veneer and Mr. Henshaw expects it will be completed in two months.

Mr. Henshaw is to manage the hotel himself and it will be laid out in a modern manner. The grounds will be large and handsome one and the dining room will be located in the two storey wing. The hotel will be a credit to the town.

What will be the name of the hotel? Mr. Henshaw hasn't decided yet, but

will research his brains to choose an appropriate one. All suggestions will be welcomed.

W. A. W. Henshaw was in Calgary last week.

J. L. Moffett is in charge of the building operations at the hotel. He is from Seattle and has been building Mr. Yandell's house. About 50 men will be employed under him.

A feature of the service at the Presbyterian church last Sunday was the singing of the male quartette. This quartette consists of Messrs W. A. W. Henshaw, C. Marshall, W. Toppin and W. Robertson.

Lacrosse enthusiasts are underscoring to new interest in the game in town. Wallace Flanagan, Bert Dean and other erstwhile lacrosse players intend participating one of these fine evenings with the lacrosse stick and ball.

BASSANO TRADING CO.

General Merchants

FURNITURE

At all Prices

To Suit All Tastes

AND ALL GOOD QUALITY

ALL WILL BE INTERESTED TO KNOW that the Furniture Department of our Store has been replenished with hundreds of dollars worth of new furniture—New stock just in this week. If you are buying new Furniture—Starting housekeeping or making your home more pleasant and comfortable—look over our stock. Here's a sample of some of the prices:

Tables—Dining Room Extension	\$9.00 and up
Dressers	\$8.50 and up
Sideboard, a fine line at	\$18.00
Beds	\$4 to \$50.00
Chairs, from	65c up
Mattresses	\$3.75 to \$12.00
Springs	\$3.00 to \$5.00
Cots	\$2.50

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SECOND AVENUE

VETERINARY SURGEON HERE

Dr. R. S. Roberts, veterinary surgeon and dentist, of Vancouver, arrived in town Wednesday. He will set the dam locking after the house there and will have an office in town. Dr. Roberts intends locating a hospital for sick horses and dogs in town.

LIVERY CHANGED HANDS

Pete Warren has purchased W. A. Caldwell's livery barn and took over the management this week. Mr. Warren comes in from Hutton and is known throughout the country and should get his full share of public patronage.

NEW SIDEWALKS TO BE BUILT THIS YEAR IN TOWN

New sidewalks for Bassano—On north side of First avenue, from Second street to Third street.

On north side of Second avenue between Second and Third streets.

On east side of Fourth street between First and Fourth avenue.

Along west side of Third street between Second and Fourth avenue.

Along north side of Fourth street between Second and Fourth streets.

At the Council meeting on Monday night it was decided to call for tenders for sidewalks along these streets and avenue, the sidewalks to be of plank. Councilor Ed Purcell was in the Mayor's chair, Mayor "Floyd" being absent, and Councilors, Messrs. Flanagan, Gallagher and Struthers being present. The meeting lasted until twelve o'clock and various lines of business was dealt with.

When the new sidewalks were being discussed, the building of cement walks was mentioned. It was decided that planks will have to do for a while yet. There are some private citizens who intend building grandiose walks in front of their residences, however.

Councilor Shoop—"What about the cells you were going to get for the jail?"

Clark Hames had a catalogue and the councilors pored over this for a while.

Councilor Struthers moved that the

SAD IS THIS TALE BASSANO LOST!

Brooks Boosters Won First Game 6-3 after Bassano Had Led for 7 Innings—It was a pretty fair Game—Brooks Here Thursday

"Chief" Danielson's bunch of Bassano ball players almost put the "Indian" sign on the Brooks Boosters on Monday when the Bow Valley league opened. As it was the village team vs. 6. Glendon beat Strathmore 11-3 and the Brooks and the Glendon outfit are tied for the top.

This story we have to tell of the midship at Brooks is a wonderful one. Just think that we led 5-0 until the seventh! Then the aeroplanes swooped. The result was the doubling of Bassano's hopes to the ground. Even Fred Hawkins, acting manager went. Fletcher Brier had been leading the Brooks batters into hot water with his serpentine curves and the fielding was as tight as a drum until the seventh. Our man slacked off with two runs in the first, Danielson and Powers crashing the game.

Every leg had until Danielson's arm began to show signs of weakening

threw failed to connect with a couple of flies and the victory fell from our grasp.

Thompson on was the Brooks' reliever and his assortment of curves was not large. Capt. Doc Anderson held down first.

The Brooks boys treated the Bassano team well and a game was held at night.

The two teams play here on Thursday and a game will be held here.

The lineup of the Bassano team:

Bardick	Fletcher
Porter	Catcher
Danielson	1st b.
Seafeldt	2nd b.
Powers	3rd b.
Mair	r. f.
Setro	c. f.
Gillis	l. f.

FIRE EXTINGUISHED

Fire Brigade Was "Right on the Job" When Restaurant Caught Fire

Bassano's fire brigade did gallant service on Tuesday evening, when the restaurant owned by the Lee caught fire from a gasoline heater, and the fire was put out with little damage. Many citizens assisted the brigade and the town was saved from a disastrous conflagration.

buckets. The fire was extinguished in record time and the boy scouts pulled the only supply of the fire and loaded it up again.

The brigade showed their usefulness to the community in case of fire.

Mr. H. Miller sales manager for the Evelyn Sales Company of Calgary is in our city arranging the sale of the Evelyn Supply Co. for engine lock stock and barrel sale. Everything must be cleaned out in 10 days if possible. This sale is for the benefit of everybody and everybody should take advantage of this opportunity.

R. O. Pegler returned this week from a trip to Seattle, Spokane and other Western United States centres as far south as Walla Walla. Although money is tightening up on the coast, Mr. Pegler says "We have Canada in a straitening position of attention and there will be many newcomers to this country from the western slope of the Rockies in the United States, within the next few years."

For Aching, Sore And Sweating Feet

In summer the feet ache, perspire and feel damp and uncomfortable. Cool slacks and thin stockings help some but not enough.

IF YOU WANT REAL FOOT COMFORT USE EAS'EM

Dust a little Eas'm in the shoes, sprinkle some on the stockings. It absorbs moisture and checks perspiration to a large extent. Then the feet are comfortable, do not swell, do not ache.

IT'S FINE WHEN BREAKING IN NEW SHOES SUMMER OR WINTER, MAKES THEM SLIP ON EASILY, OVERCOMES FRICTION AT THE PINCHING PLACES, PREVENTS FORMATION OF CORNS AND Blisters

Sprinkle Top Cannisters 25c.

Like everything else in the line of Nyl's Family Remedies this Foot Powder is right, highest quality, liberal quantity, reasonable price.

STILES, the Druggist

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A Splendid Assortment of Beautiful Gifts for Bridal Couples

A glance over our stock will help you decide what you will give the June Bride for a Wedding Present

REPAIRING A SPECIALTY
POST CARDS & STATIONERY
A. G. TROTMAN
THE JEWELER

Gallagher Bros.

The Store of Quality

QUEEN QUALITY SHOES

FOR LADIES

We carry a full stock of this world famous brand of American made Shoes

The name of this Shoe is a guarantee for quality in itself. Queen quality has

Style
Symmetry
Wearing Quality

And can't be beaten.

Everything in Groceries, Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes at Right Prices at Our Store

Don't Come to Bassano without Visiting Us.

Gallagher Bros. BASSANO

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rates on large contracts.

To secure change of advertisement, advertisers are requested to leave copy at
the office, not later than Tuesday evening.

The News makes a specialty of fine job printing and has one of the best equip-
ment offices in the province for this class of work.

J. H. SHARP

L. D. HENBETT

Editor

FRIDAY, June 9, 1911

A strong man was lost to the Liberal party and the Alberta
legislative assembly when A. J. McArthur M. P., passed away

A. J. McARTHUR
PASSED AWAY

Calgary in the early dawn on Monday
morning. It was only last October that
the deceased was elected as a member of
the legislature representing Gleichen rid-
ing and the province had little time to learn his real value. He died
from the results of an attack of pneumonia.

Mr. McArthur came west from Bruce county, Ontario where
many another sterling man has lived. He was a hard, hard worker
and the story is told how he worked his farm and cleared it of debt
only to suffer the loss of his barn, stock and crops by fire. (It
predominated in this man and he clinched his teeth and went to work
again, once more putting his farm in first class shape. Then he
went west and his ability as a business man was shown when he
purchased land on Crescent Heights, which furnished the foundation for
the fortune he built up. The late member for Gleichen was a
thoroughbred man and his death is regretted.

A new hotel, a race course with Bassano on the provincial circuit
business plenty and newcomers galore to this
Bassano tells to all, that this town is on
the map with both feet—and stamping!

The business men declare that business was never
better and the hundreds that come to town daily testify to this.
When the new railway is started another big camp will be located
close to town and it will mean increased business.

The town hasn't commenced to grow yet, either. The completion
of the dam will mean much. As the News has pointed out the
formation of a lake of considerable size and the developing of thou-
sands of horse power will form the foundation of firm industrial de-
velopment. But Bassano is already kicking out lustily!

It is a serious thing for a settler who has just arrived in the
country, and started in to cultivate land at some considerable expense
to lose his horses, especially at this season of the year.

Yet we were informed that last week over one
hundred men were searching over the countryside—
the search of lost horses, cattle and oxen—they
had lost.

Some men have been in the saddle for days and weeks in
constant search, for their animals, knowing that every lost day meant
lost money.

It is stated that there are some men with nature's sufficient
to deliberately withhold information as to the whereabouts of strayed
animals in the hope of either securing a liberal reward as the dis-
tracted owner grows more and more anxious and increases the reward
or of securing the animals for themselves. It is a serious matter that
can a man a horse thief without ample evidence, but not a few who
have lost animals claim that they must be stolen. In olden days an
impromptu gallop or a leaden \$45 kicked out from a big Colt finished
most careers.

The settlers and homesteaders should be aware that as much
as possible to assist each other in recovering lost horses, oxen or what-
ever other beast has strayed. If thieves are in the country they
should be found out and arrested. Something will have to be done
so that a small army of over one hundred will not have to be ransack-
ing the country for hundreds of miles for lost animals.

The far-stretching prairie reveals itself in the full glory of its
vernal beauty at this time of the year. Clad in
flower besprinkled greenery it rises and falls in
airy undulations, here and there the monotony being
relieved by a hillock of an abrupt valley. Warm
winds, fresh laden with sweet prairie perfume, fans the face of the
traveller and the earth is fair to look upon. The brown furrows
which indicate the presence of man in places, are being carpeted
with growing stalks of grain, equally joyous to behold.

Eastern and southern scenery may have many charms, and green
trees and orchards may lure some but nothing can equal with its
peculiar charm the majestic beauty of the "gardens of the desert."
The prairie derived its name from early French settlers. The word
merely means meadows but the prairie is vastly different from the
English idea of the meadow. The English language has no word
which amply expresses the meaning of the prairie, hence the French.

Aside from the magnitude and quality of the grain grown on the
prairies, the vast stretches of land possess an indelible beauty of a
distinctive type, very alluring to the westerner.

EDITORIALS

In calling attention to the Calgary
Industrial exhibition we would like to
mention that the time is drawing
near for Bassano to have an annual agri-
cultural fair. The big Calgary exhibition
established 20 and lasts for a week and
Manager E. L. Richardson promises big
things for fair visitors. Mr. Richard-
son is a competent manager and a
gentleman who is intelligent and has
the highest Weather. Man treats him
and his big fair. There is an ad-
vertisement in this issue which tells
something about the exhibition.

It takes three years to count the
McCanadian family starting in 1911
how many years will it take to count
the population fifty years hence?

HOTEL CHANGES HANDS

G. M. Pierce sold his interests to Mr.
Water of Lettbridge.

G. M. Pierce has disposed of his in-
terests in the Alberta hotel to J. H.
Water, Lettbridge and the latter will
take over the management inside of a
week's time. Mr. Pierce has managed
the hotel since its inception and it has
an excellent reputation, province-wide.
He will continue to reside in town.
Mr. Water has come to Bassano
and his family will be here in a short
time. One of Mr. Harris' houses on
Twilight avenue has been rented by the
new proprietor.
Mr. Ferguson, who has an interest in
the hotel remains as a partner.

HORSE RACING
FOR BASSANOArrangements Made For Building Half Mile Track—
Circuit Horses Will come Here in the Fall and
Spring

Horse racing, the "sport of kings," will be started in Bassano
this year. W. A. Caldwell and J. J. McArthur have interested
themselves in the scheme and a splendid location for half a mile track
is sighted. All the horses on the provincial circuit will be here and
meets will be held in the fall and spring. Both running and harness
races will be held and all the races at the Calgary Industrial will
visit Bassano.

There is ample support for meets of such a nature and other
towns not nearly as large as Bassano have held successful meets in past
years. Here there is the district for miles around to draw from and
the population of the town and the men at the dam.

A big amphitheatre is planned and the race track and grounds
will be fitted up in first class shape.

An effort will be made to get the stands and track in readiness
in a short time.

BASSANO NEWSLETS

G. E. Allen was in Calgary on Sun-
day.

J. A. Trotman was in Medicine Hat
on Sunday.

Mr. Hunter has gone to North Dako-
ta for a visit.

Tommy Gibbons has returned to Bas-
sano from his school.

Don't forget the ball game Brooks
and Bassano on Thursday evening.

William Tucker, real estate agent, of
Gleichen, was in town this week.

Harry Dymond, of the Trottoir, takes
was in town on Monday.

Miss Sutton, of Calgary, has taken
position as stenographer with Murdoch
and Huggins.

Georgia and Jennie Fryers again
dined at the Presbyterian church on Sun-
day morning last.

Mike Gibbons, captain of the ball
team, has left Bassano and is in the
real estate business in Gleichen.

Rev. Carl H. Wals will preach at
the Presbyterian church next Sunday.
He is from Gary, Indiana.

Corporal Kahanen, of Calgary, ar-
rived in town this week and will be
stationed at the local R. N. W. M. P.
detachment.

M. Van Houten, of Barry Creek was
in town on Saturday, he has been
searching for four lost horses.

Geibert and Wilson have a new en-
trance to their sausage factory, facing
on Second avenue.

The theatre has been fitted up with
an exit behind the screen to be used in
cases of emergency. A red light is plac-
ed on the door.

It is illegal to sell fire crackers on
the streets. The matter came up at
the last council meeting and the by-
law will be enforced.

Floyd McConaghey drove to Crow-
foot on Sunday. He says the prize is
a garden all over, green and flowing,
and the crops wonderful.

The new store and postoffice being
built by H. Buchanan will be com-
pleted in a month or so. The brick-
layers are working on it now.

NATURAL GAS CO.

Natural gas will light Bassano's
streets in August. This was made
known by a letter received from the
natural gas company which secured
the franchise. The town needs the
gas and it will be welcomed.

FAT QUICK LUNCH

EVERYTHING NIFTY AND UP-TO-DATE
SERVICE UNSURPASSED, MEALS 25c AND UP
ROAST TURKEY AT ALL HOURS
RETAILERS IN ALL KINDS FINE CHEESE & PRODUCE
FRUITS, CANDY AND ICE CREAM
TRY OUR BUM COFFEE, 45c PER POUND
LEO J. CASTIAN, Mgr.

FRESH AND CURED MEAT,
Always on hand.

Highest Market Prices paid for your
Hides, Pelt and Tallow. Bring them in
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Classified Advertisements

GIRLS WANTED—To work at Fat's
Quick Lunch restaurant and Ice
Cream Parlor.
Apply at once at restaurant.

WOOD FOR SALE—A large quantity
of good dry wood for sale. See the
Riverdale Lumber Company

WHAT OFFER such as lots 1 and 2
Corner in Block 12 Bassano, no res-
trictions, 50 feet each, clear title.
Apply box 91, Burnham, Alta.

STRAYED—A pair of horses, white
horses, weight 1400, no brand. Reward
for information. Chas. Seefelt, Bas-
sano.

STRAYED—From Crowfoot on In-
dian Rowers' 1. Day, March 29, 1911.
branded M-4 on left hip, also dark bay
horse, 1100, the branded N on right
shoulder. Good reward. Katty C.
Tudor, Crowfoot. 10-18-p 141f

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THIS IS THE BERRY CREEK PAGE

Out around Berry Creek the people are alive! Anyone who reads correspondence from that district in The Bassano News cannot but acknowledge that. This year the Berry Creekers are more than merry and why should they not? Think of the harvest in sight and the incoming railroads into that district.

That country is well settled and with a splendid class of people. English and United States settlers live side by side in neighborly content and the Canadian born, most secure, mixed just as well. This newspaper has a considerable number of Berry Creek readers and we are making an extra effort, getting out the paper Thursday, to convenience them. We hope to have more from that district.

Creakings From The Creek

A huge placard in the grocery garage this week, invites all and sundry to attend the Berry Creek Coronation Celebration. A large list of events is listed suitable for our rural sports tastes. Although you wouldn't think it a cause for awe in our rural simplicity will probably have an enjoyable day. It was at first decided to hold this affair on June 27th but in order not to detract public attention from the celebration to take place in Lacombe, they on that day, at which King George will be present, it has been postponed for June 28. At the above notice there will appear for the first time in public an amateur Football Club organized by one of our prominent citizens and containing a large, Scotch element. "Foot" will be laid.

It is rumored that these daring sports will reward \$50 against any other local team, as soon as this amount is materialized into fact, and the fifty pinkies are in view. Another batch of athletes are ready to take the field and the fifty.

Oh! and we never told you there's going to be a book race. Such fun, you run to a certain point skin your shoes off and run in your socks (or bare feet as the case may be) to another point and back to your shoes which have all been staked up at the meeting. First home with his shoes on gets the ticket. We are taking a very old pair and hope to pick up a better pair in the scramble.

O. E. Dudge has been away this week at the school mias in 20-12, superintending the erection of a huge steam engine which will be used in the future in the mine in Col. Walker's lease.

Why Oh Why is it that so many old posters are displayed in the mail? Is the post man getting the picture? Is the postman place on the picture?

LONBUTTE WANTS RIVER BRIDGED

That a bridge is urgently needed over the Red River at the Dymont ranch about 13 miles northwest of Hutton is the contention of the Lonbuttes and all the people in that locality. The ground is such as would make a splendid road and slopes easily to the river, insuring good approach. The settlers now have to go miles around to reach Bassano. The proposed location of the bridge is 12 miles southwest of Hutton.

The C. N. R. has purchased land for 14 for a townsite which will be placed on the market this fall. This is about 15 miles south of Hutton.

N. Cameron was in Bassano last week purchasing provisions.

JUNE WEDDING BELLS

WEDDINGS

On the afternoon of Saturday June 2nd a quiet wedding was solemnized in a pretty grove on the banks of the Bow river, when Miss Rita May Starr, nee of Chicago University, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Starr was married to Rev. Earl H. Weiss, D. D. of Chicago, Indiana. The wedding party consisting of the bride and groom, the bride's parents and sister, Mr. L. Bond an Uncle of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Powell and Miss McKenke, drove to Bassano where they met Rev. John McKenke then proceeded to the grove. Four or five miles south east of town where, beneath the balm of alfalfa over looking the river the ceremony was performed.

After the wedding lunch had been done ample justice and a pleasant hour or two spent in the grove, the party returned to their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Benner, of Orillia, Ont., are visiting their sons, W. H. R. and C. H. Benner, who reside at Berry Creek. These boys have a splendid stretch of land close to the Creek and are doing well. Mr. Benner is much taken with Alberta and is planning to make a permanent home for young Benner.

One very bad offender invariably causes the police to attend the party on the face.

A SAD CASE
A shadow is hanging over the home of Mr. Heck one of the settlers of Berry Creek, who came into this country a few weeks ago from Moose, Dakota, with his wife and six children. On the trip one of the girls caught diphtheria and since arriving here three of the children have passed away, leaving their mother very ill with the same disease. Mr. Heck is prostrated with grief, neighbors have stepped in to help and are helping the family to what ever way they can.

T. Welsch is lying seriously ill in the Holy Cross Hospital, Calgary. Death hopes are held for his recovery.

Henry Barrett is attending Lacombe exhibition where he intends to purchase some pure bred stock.

What a place Berry Creek is! The settlers evidently got all the amusement they can out of life, although the season for dancing is over yet they cannot keep still, so a very pleasant surprise party was given to Mr. and Mrs. Barrett who have recently returned from the states with their daughter and son in law Mr. and Mrs. Minick.

Miss Mary and Annie Shanley left here last Saturday, accompanied by their mother and three brothers for Edmonton where they expect to spend the summer, they will be greatly missed by their many friends in this district.

Mr. V. H. Smith who has been very sick for some time past is now improving.

A picnic has been arranged to celebrate Coronation Day June 22nd at the residence of Mr. Handly, Senior. Sports will start at 2 p.m. Dancing at 8 p.m.

HUTTON SCHOOL TO BE BUILT

The school trustees have received word from the department of education expressing willingness to assist in building and maintaining a school. The Secretary Headman has written to the townsite men and a choice of site will be made in a month or so, all will be anxious for commencing building.

There are thirteen or fourteen children in Hutton and a great many more in the vicinity.

L. Kemp was in Bassano this week.

Rev. Mr. Fullerton arrived here on Calgary and had service on Sunday. He is going to organize a church and hopes to have a building started soon.

Andrew Headman spent a couple of days in Bassano early in the week.

R. Larsson and C. Berg and J. Davidson are bringing down about 50,000 feet of timber from Red Deer town, floating it down the river.

R. Johnston drove to Bassano this week.

The Red Deer is very high now and the ferry is working well.

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